

Season Report of the Bangalore District for the month of July 1895.

Rainfall.—34 Inches 4 Cents.

State of Crops.—Standing crops were reported to be in good condition. Paddy, ragi, cow gram, pigeon pea, castor beans, panicum milliaceum, panicum milliari and sessamum were sown. Ploughing and sowing operations continued.

Public Health.—Generally good.

Mortality.—There were 731 deaths in the month of May against 1017 in the month preceding.

Cattle.—1,269 head of cattle died during the month. Of this, 127 were killed by wild beasts.

Lands.—Lands assessed at Rs. 2,300-15-0 were taken up for cultivation.

K. CHANDY, for Dy. Comr.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

Proceedings of a meeting of the District Fund Board of the Hassan Circle convened on Monday the 19th August 1895 in the Deputy Commissioner's office, Hassan.

Ex-Officio Members.

PRESENT.

1. A. Krishnaswamaiengar, Esq., President.
2. A. S. Nagavkar, Esq., Executive Engineer.
3. K. S. Chendrasekhara Iyer, Esq., General Assistant Commissioner.
4. G. Lakshmanasami, Esq., Assistant Surgeon.
5. Mr. A. Viraraghavalu Naidu, Amildar of Arsikere.
6. „ V. N. Guru Rao, Amildar of Arkalgud.
7. „ S. Krishnappa, Acting Amildar of Manjarabad.
8. „ B. Sankaraiya, Amildar of Belur.
9. „ Muhammad Raza, Amildar of Hassan.

ABSENT.

1. Mr. A. Krishné Urs, Amildar of Channarayapatna.
2. „ P. Subrayalu Naidu, Amildar of Holé-Narsipur (Sick).

Non-Official Members.

PRESENT.

1. Mr. H. Krishnappa, Pensioned Amildar.
2. „ Kalasapur Tammaiya, Coffee Planter.
3. „ Banavar Venkatakrishnaiya, Land-holder.
4. „ Venkatasubbaiya, Inamdar.
5. „ Konanur Venkataramaiya, Sahukar.

ABSENT.

1. Mr. Muhammed Ghaus Sahib, Coffee Planter (Sick.)
2. „ Kumbakone Subbannachar.

1. *Receipts and Disbursements Account for 1894-95.*—The accompanying statement (A) of District Fund receipts and expenditure was read to the Board with the intimation that adjustment memo for June 1895 had not yet been received from the Comptroller.

Resolution.—Passed and recorded.

2. *Statement showing outlay on works executed from District Funds and Local Fund General during the year 1894-95.*—The enclosed statement (B) was then placed before the Board.

Resolution.—Passed and recorded.

3. *List of incomplete works (C) under District Funds requiring appropriation for 1895-96.*—

Resolution.—The Board in passing the list said “The sums entered in the column” “Appropriation required for 1895-96” have not been spent and will go to swell the opening balance of the current year from which the necessary appropriation may be granted.”

4. *List of incomplete works (D) requiring appropriation from Local Funds General for 1895-96.*—*Resolution.*—Passed, with the observation that it is to be met from this year's grant.

5. *Sanctioned Budget.*—Read Government Proceedings No. 16288-92—L. F. 148-94, dated 4th April 1895, sanctioning the District Fund Budget Estimates of Hassan for 1895-96.

Resolution.—The amounts available for expenditure under various heads were distributed among Taluks as follows :—

For sanitation of rural parts at Rs. 500 to each Taluk and Sub-Taluk .. Rs. 4,000.

Construction and repairs of Cattle pounds.

	Rs.
Manjarabad	400
Belur	400
and Rs. 200 for each of the remaining Taluks	1,200
	<hr/> 2,000

Destruction of bushes and thickets.

Manjarabad	200
Belur	200
and Rs. 100 for each of the remaining Taluks	600
	<hr/> 1,000

Special improvement of well recognised cart tracks.

Holé-Narsipur	500
Belur	700
Channarayapatna	400
Other Taluks	400
	<hr/> 2,000

The Board remarked that the sums allotted for improving cart tracks should be appropriated for constructing tunnels and removing obstruction of other kinds and that estimates be called for for all the works.

6. *Statement of works proposed to be undertaken from Local Fund General during 1895-96.*—*Resolution.*—The Board observed that it was premature to say what works were to be undertaken, since it was not known what amount the Government would grant, and added that the amount available from the grant from Local Fund General should be distributed among Taluks, Arsikere and Channarayapatna getting half as much more with reference to their requirements and that works should be proposed within that amount.

7. *Election of Members for the ensuing Dasara Representative Assembly.*—

Resolution.—The following members were elected :—

1. Mr. Konanur Venkataramaiya, Sahukar.
2. „ Venkatasubbaiya, Inamdar.

8. *Additions and alterations to the Dispensary at Arsikere.*—Read Executive Engineer's docket No. 459, dated 17th May 1895, forwarding plan and estimate for Rs. 1,973 for additions and alterations to the Dispensary at Arsikere.

Resolution.—The matter may be deferred till next meeting.

9. *Cart track from Holé Narsipur to Halli Mysore.*—Read General Assistant Commissioner's letter No. 32, dated 1st instant, suggesting its improvement.

Resolution.—Resolved that an estimate be called for and that the sum of Rs. 500 above allotted for this Taluk be appropriated for expenditure on this work during the current year.

10. *Lighting Musafirghanas.*—Read Government Proceedings No. 410-17—L. F. 71-94, dated 9th July 1895, enquiring if Musafirghanas should be lit, and if so what amount is required therefor monthly.

Resolution.—Resolved that it is necessary to light Musafirghanas and that annas eight per mensem will do for each of them for the purpose.

11. *Supplying cooking vessels to Musafirghanas.*—Read para 1 of Government Proceedings No. 538-45—L. F. 71-94, dated 11th ultimo, enquiring if cooking vessels should be supplied to Musafirghanas.

Resolution.—Resolved that it is very useful to supply the following vessels to each of the Musafirghanas :—

One copper "hande" holding three "bindiges" of water	Rs. 12
Two "bindiges" or "kodams"	8
Two brass "chembus"	3
One set of brass "ganju" containing 7 vessels	12
One brass and one iron "savatus"	1
One wooden lamp stand with brass "hanate"	1
One "idligemane"	1
Two "tappales" one to cook two seers of rice and the other to cook one seer of rice	5
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12. *Establishment required for the supervision of Local Fund works.*—Read Government Proceedings No. 23776-84—L. F. 379-92, dated 21st June 1895, passing orders in regard to the entertainment of Work Inspectors in the Bangalore District, without the sanction of Government, and requesting the Deputy Commissioners of other Districts to submit their opinion.

Read also Proceedings No. 2195-203—L. F. 379-92, dated 14th instant.

Resolution.—That Local Fund and important Municipal original works cannot be carried on without an agency; that chronic incomplete works and little expenditure under the Revenue department is due to want of that agency; that with an efficient agency the Revenue Department may expect to spend Rs. 30,000 a year which will give Rs. 300 per mensem for establishment at 10 per cent; that each Taluk should be given a Mestri; Mestris to be of two grades, 25 and 20, with a horse allowance of Rs. 8, and a peon on Rs. 5; that trained men may be obtained from the Public Works Department.

13. *Establishing Dispensaries.*—Read official Memo No. 2088-93—L. F. 60-95, dated 12th instant, received from Government, calling for a statement of places requiring Dispensaries in the order of urgency.

Resolution.—That Government be respectfully requested to establish Dispensaries in the following order, as resolved by the Board in their Proceedings, dated 3rd October 1893, (Resolution 4):—

1. Arehalli, Belur Taluk. 2. Nuggahalli, Channarayapatna Taluk. 3. Hanbal or Hadige, Manjarabad Taluk. 4. Halebid, Belur Taluk. 5. Halkur, Arsikere Taluk.

14. *Constructing cart stands at Banavar and Arsikere.*—Read Executive Engineer's docket No. 607, dated 6th July 1895, forwarding projects amounting to Rs. 3,546 and 3,680 for constructing a serai and cart stand combined at Banavar and a cart stand at Arsikere, respectively, and requesting to obtain Government sanction thereto.

Resolution.—A Musafirkhana having been already sanctioned at Banavar, the question of attaching a bandy-stand to it be deferred. The plan and estimate for Arsikere bandy-stand be accepted, Rs. 1,700 provided in the Budget being appropriated for this year; the balance might be found from the savings under other heads; otherwise funds should be provided next year.

15. *Hosur-Gombid road.*—Read annual report of the South Mysore Planters' Association, received with Kadur Deputy Commissioner's docket No. 231, dated 8th instant, anent the opening of the road.

Resolution.—The utmost will be done to meet the wishes of the planters, and the Chief Engineer will be asked to sanction an estimate of Rs. 300 per mile to enable the Executive Engineer to commence tracing of the section as in the case of Arehalli-Bikkode Section.

16. *Special repairs to Yelval-Hassan road, on the Channapatna tank bund.*—The President explained to the Board the deplorable state of the road and added that special repairs were urgently needed.

Resolution.—The Executive Engineer be requested to do the needful.

17. The following Government Proceedings were read to the Board :—

- (1) No. 1197-8—L. F. 73-94, dated 22nd ultimo, removing the Marnahalli and Dandiganahalli Travellers' Bungalows from the list of third class ones.
- (2) No. 2075-7—L. F. 196-94, dated 12th instant, informing that no house rent will be allowed to midwives.
- (3) No. 782-4—4170-72, dated 10th instant, sanctioning the project for Rs. 3,445 for opening the Yeslur-Chengadihalli road.
- (4) No. 737-8—L. F. 11-94, dated 15th ultimo, sanctioning an estimate for Rs. 805 for constructing a Mantapam over the bathing ghat to the Channapatna tank.
- (5) No. 912-6—L. F. 27-93, dated 18th July 1895, informing that the entire cost of the Hospitals at Kolar, Tumkur and Hassan be met from the Provincial Medicinal Budget.

Resolution.—Recorded.

A. Statement showing the details of receipts and of expenditure and balance of the Hassan Local Fund Circle for the year 1894-95.

Items.	Receipts.		Items.	Expenditure.		Remarks.
	Details.	Amount.		Details.	Amount.	
1	Balance on 1st June 1895	Rs. a. p. 94,122 8 9	A.	Public Works (executed by Public Works Department)— I Original works	Rs. a. p. 9,639 6 2	
	Seventy-six per cent of one anna cess creditable to District Funds	59,356 1 8		II Repairs	31,021 11 11	
2	Amount refunded by Principal, Medical College, Madras	1 14 0	B.	III Establishments	8,549 0 0	
3	Sale of stray cattle	2,246 4 7		IV Tools and plant	816 10 4	
4	Fines for cattle trespass	11,270 5 0		Total A, Public Works executed by D. P. W.	50,026 12 5	
5	Ferry collections	3,894 2 0		Public Works (executed by Revenue Officers)— I Original works	1,454 1 1	
6	Fees from Travellers' Bungalows	42 10 0		II Repairs	5 0 0	
7	Miscellaneous—			III Establishments	846 1 6	
	1. Sale of manure	111 11 6	C.	IV Tools and plant	140 0 0	
	2. Rangachari's Chattram	102 12 4		Total B, Public Works (executed by Revenue officers)	2,445 2 7	
	3. Sale of hide	1 4 6		Civil Charges—		
	4. Refund of Imprest	67 15 9		I Dewan's Office establishment	173 5 4	
	5. Fees recovered by Government Bulls	3 8 0		II Statistical clerk	292 8 4	
	6. Adjustment advances for feeding cattle	498 12 0		III Medical scholarships	261 1 3	
	7. Other items	10 0 0		IV Hospitals and Dispensaries	2,673 14 11	
	Total Income	77,607 5 4		V Midwives	509 7 2	
				VI Comptroller's office contingencies	1 10 5	
				VII Sweepers for Travellers' Bungalows	826 7 6	
				VIII Furniture	350 13 4	
				IX Conservancy charges	619 3 6	
				X Vaccination	79 0 0	
				XI Examination fees of Hospital Assistants	61 14 0	
				XII Refunds	475 7 0	
				XIII Contributions	2,317 0 0	
				XIV Dieting charges	211 14 3	
				XV Miscellaneous—		
				(1) Construction and repairs of cattle pounds	319 13 10	
				(2) Feeding cattle	3,480 12 2	
				(3) Commission to pound keepers	1,114 11 10	
				(4) Feeding Amrut Mahal Bull	95 5 9	
				(5) Mileage to Local Fund members	71 12 0	
				(6) Other items	77 13 0	
				Total C, Civil Charges	14,013 15 7	
				Grand Total of Expenditure, A, B and C	66,435 14 7	
				Balance at the end of the year	1,05,243 15 6	
				Grand Total	1,71,729 14 1	
	Total including Balance	1,71,729 14 1				

B.—Statement showing the drinking water wells, Chavadis, Musafarkhanas, Railway feeders, constructed or improved during the official year 1894-95, out of District Funds or Local Funds General. :—

Tank.	Name of village.	Name of work.	Amount of expenditure incurred.
<i>Local Funds General.</i>			Rs. a. p.
Hassan	Hassan	Constructing bathing ghat to Channarayana tank, Hassan Town	869 4 8
	Doddapura	Sinking a well	199 2 0
Manjarabad	Saklespur	Ditto	288 10 0
Channarayana	Channarayana	Ditto	50 6 0
	Gaudagere	Ditto	83 2 0
	Srinivasapur	Constructing a Mantapam on the Hemavati river bank.	110 0 0
	Ditto	Constructing a katte near the village	91 7 0
Arsikere	Arsikere	Improving the Ulle Bhavi	1,242 12 9
	Belvathaballi	Sinking a well	523 3 10
	Bevanaballi	Ditto	205 0 1
	Savantaballi	Ditto	83 6 0
	Diggenaballi	Ditto	57 15 0
Arkalgud		Constructing tunnels on Arkalgud-Gubbi road	1,095 5 2
Total			4,899 10 6
<i>District Funds.</i>			
Hassan	Buvanaballi	Improving the sanitation	198 7 0
Belur	Halebid	Constructing cattle-pound	30 9 6
Arsikere	Kellangere	Ditto	222 3 10
		Improving the cart track from Harnahalli to Ponnasandra	74 2 0
	Janagal	Improving the sanitation	276 15 6
	Arsikere	Repairing Rangacharlu's Chattram	40 0 0
	Banavar	Excavating feeder channel from Chagachakatte to Solapur tank	550 13 3
Arkalgud		Special Improvement of Arkalgud-Gubbi road	199 12 0
		Repairing cart-track from Arkalgud to Munkundur.	200 0 0
		Repairing the cart-track from Kallemuddanaballi to Nilvagal	300 0 0
	Konanur	Constructing a cattle-pound	29 13 7
	Hulikal	Ditto	234 14 3
	Mallipatna	Constructing a tunnel	50 13 0
Hole-Narsipur	Kodihalli	Constructing cattle-pound	142 10 0
		Improving cart-track from Yelval-Hassan road to Mavinkere	27 11 6
Channarayana	Channarayana	Constructing a bathing ghat	128 12 0
	Ditto	Sinking a well in the Bandy stand at Channarayana.	145 13 0
	Hirisave	Constructing a cattle-pound	223 13 8
Total			3,147 4 1

C.—List of incomplete works under District Funds requiring appropriation for 1895-96 :—

Taluk.	Name of work.	No. and date of sanction.	Sanctioned estimate amount.	Expenditure up to 30th June 1895.	Appropriation required for 1895-96.
Hassan	Constructing a cattle-pound at Chik-kadur.	16435-6 dated 30th Mar. 94. L.F. 105-93	235	...	235
	Constructing a cattle-pound at Kausika.	24128-9 dated 25th June 95. L.F. 163-94	280	...	280
	Repairing a cart-track from Salgame to Halebid.	19592-3 dated 8th May 93. L.F. 195-93	300	...	300
Arsikere	Repairing cart-track from Harnahalli to Ponnasamudra.	19762-3 dated 9th May 95. L.F. 163-94	210	74 2 0	163
	Sanitation work at Javagal	20494-5 dated 30th May 94. L.F. 105-93	360	314 7 0	46
	Repairing Rangacharu's Chattram	24672-3 dated 28th June 95. L.F. 169-94	182	40 0 0	142
	Excavating feeder channel from Chagachakatte to Solapur tank at Banavar	14758-60 dated 15th Mar. 95. 105-93	742	550 13 0	191
	Destruction of bushes and thickets in Kittankere.	12478-9 dated 1st Feb. 94. L.F. 105-93	200	...	200
Channarayana	Repairing cart-track from Bagur to Anati.	19796-7 dated 19th May 94. L.F. 105-93	330	...	330
Belur	Constructing a cattle-pound at Halebid.	16435-6 dated 30th Mar. 94. L.F. 105-93	235	30 9 6	204
Hole-Narsipur	Improving cart-track from Yelval-Hassan road to Mavinkere.	24672-3 dated 28th June 95. L.F. 162-94	90	27 11 6	62
Manjarabad	Constructing a cattle-pound at Hanbal.	16435-6 dated 30th Mar. 94. L.F. 105-93	235	...	

D.—Statement of complete works under Local Funds General and District Fund, 1895-96:—

Taluk.	Name of work.	No. and date of sanction.	Sanctioned estimate amount.	Expenditure up to 30th June 1895.	Appropriation required for 1895-96.
Hassan	Constructing a bathing ghat to the Channarayana tank, Hassan Town.	7580-1 dated 2nd Dec. 92. 63-92	20 ³⁴	2,863 1 8	*338
	Sinking a well at Doddapura	17742-3 dated 1st May 93. 305-92	520	349 10 0	170
Arsikere	Sinking a well at Belvatahalli	7449-50 dated 13th Nov. 94. 67-93	900	747 10 3	152
	Do Bevanahalli	7747-8 dated 17th Nov. 94. 305-93	814	700 5 3	114
	Do Murtigere	18394-5 dated 6th May 93. L.F. 305-92	441	554 14 9	† 60
	Do Savantanahalli	9498-99 dated 11th Dec. 94. 305-92	720	353 4 0	367
	Do Diggaynahalli	17142-3 dated 1st May 93. 305-92	436	342 3 6	94
Channarayana	Sinking a well at Gaudagere	1869-70 dated 3rd May 92. 288	199	83 2 0	116
	Sinking a well at Chamrajendrapur	15199-201 dated 28th Mar. 92. 16-25	184	151 13 4	32
	Constructing a Mantapam on the Hemavati river bank at Srinivasapur.	9215-6 dated 13th Dec. 93. 67-93	838	110 0 0	728
	Constructing a katte at Srinivasapur	13034-5 dated 8th Feb. 94. 67-93	900	91 7 0	809
All to be met from this year's grant.					2,980

*Revised estimate will be submitted.

†Revised estimate under preparation.

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